

EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Patrick J. Halloran, Ph.D, J.D. on 04/04/2010.

The application has been amended as follows:

In claim 88, line 2, after "naltrexone" and before "and a blocking agent" add:

"or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof"

In claim 88, line 3, after "naltrexone" and before "from the" add:

"or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof"

In claim 96, line 3, after the second "naltrexone", and before "on a substrate" add:

"or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof"

In claim 106, line 1, after "naltrexone" and before "and a" add:

"or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof"

In claim 106, line 5, after "naltrexone", and before "from the sequestering subunit"
add:

"or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof"

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Carlos A. Azpuru whose telephone number is (571) 272-0588. The examiner can normally be reached on Tu-Fri, 6:30 am - 5:00 pm.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Robert A. Wax can be reached on (571) 272-0623. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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